

Amendments to the claims (this listing replaces all prior versions):

1. (canceled).
2. (canceled).
3. (currently amended) A loudspeaker system comprising,
 - a first loudspeaker array,
 - said first loudspeaker array comprising an enclosure having a width and a height and at least six acoustic drivers having radiating surfaces,
 - each of said acoustic drivers having a diameter less than three inches,
 - wherein said at least six drivers are positioned in said enclosure in a first substantially straight line, substantially regularly spaced so that the edges of said radiating surfaces are less than two inches apart,
 - ~~wherein said first array is constructed and arranged to radiate sound in a predetermined frequency range;~~
 - a second loudspeaker array comprising a second enclosure having said width and said height and at least six acoustic drivers having radiating surfaces,
 - each of said second loudspeaker array acoustic drivers having a diameter of less than three inches,
 - said second loudspeaker array acoustic drivers positioned in said second enclosure in a second substantially straight line regularly spaced so that the edges of said radiating surface are less than two inches apart,
 - wherein said second loudspeaker array is constructed and arranged to radiate sound in said ~~predetermined frequency range~~ and be detachably secured to said first loudspeaker array in a manner that extends said first substantially straight line so that the height of said loudspeaker system is increased and so that the width of said loudspeaker system remains constant,

- the ratio of the height of said loudspeaker system to said width being at least twenty.
4. (canceled).
 5. (original) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 3,
further comprising an attachment device for attaching said first loudspeaker array to said
second loudspeaker array.
 6. (original) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 3,
further comprising circuitry which provides essentially the same audio signal to all of
said acoustical drivers in both of said loudspeaker arrays at all frequencies.
 7. (original) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 3, wherein said first
loudspeaker array is portable.
 8. (canceled)
 9. (currently amended) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 2 3, wherein the
~~ratio of said height to said width is greater than eleven~~ first loudspeaker array and the
second loudspeaker array have the same height.
 10. (currently amended) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 2 3 wherein said
loudspeaker system radiates sound energy and wherein said loudspeaker system is
constructed and arranged to transduce to acoustical energy substantially at least seven
watts of electrical energy per square inch of radiating surface.
 - 11-22. (canceled).
 23. (new) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 3, wherein said first array is
constructed and arranged to radiate sound in a predetermined frequency range.
 24. (new) A loudspeaker system in accordance with claim 23, wherein said second array is
constructed and arranged to radiate sound in said predetermined frequency range.